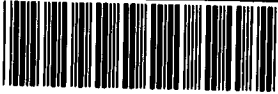


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To whom it may concern:

The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Exchange Act of 1933, FIRST TRUST MLP AND ENERGY INCOME FUND, Common Shares of Beneficial Interest \$.01 par value per share. The NYSE requests simultaneous acceleration of registration of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, together with the 1933 Act. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on October 24, 2012. Tentative listing date – November 28, 2012.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Edw Mecabe".

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